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WASHINGTON

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19 JAN 1965

NRO REVIEW COMPLETED

MEMORANDUM FOR COLONEL JACK LEDFORD,  
DIRECTOR, PROGRAM B

SUBJECT: F.Y. 1966 President's Budget

The F.Y. 1966 President's Budget for your directorate as approved by OSD and the Bureau of the Budget, and compared with your initial and revised submissions, is as follows:

		Dir. B Submission	Included in FY66 Budget	
<u>Oxcart</u> (Excluding Engine R&D)				25X1A
	Initial			
	Revised			
Airframe Support				25X1A
	Initial			
	Revised			
Considerations and details were included in  dated 17 Dec 64.				
Engine Support				25X1A
	Initial			25X1A
	Revised			
Considerations and details were included in  dated 17 Dec 64.				
Cameras				25X1A
	Initial			
	Revised			
Radar				
	Initial			
	Revised			
Guidance				
	Initial			
	Revised			
Construction				25X1A
	Initial			25X1A
	Revised			

EXCLUDED FROM AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION  
DOO DIR. 5200.10 DOES NOT APPLY

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Submission

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FY66 Budget

Operations and Maintenance

Initial  
Revised

Airborne Electronic Equipment

Initial  
Revised

Other

Initial  
Revised

Idealist

Initial (U-2L Basis)

Initial (Convert  
SAC A/C Basis)

The procurement of U-2L's was not approved for the FY1966 budget. Against the conversion basis, the primary reduction is [ ] for 8 Delta II cameras specifically related in the submission to U-2L, which should not have been included.

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[ ] Initial [ ] 0  
The [ ] requirement was not approved, on the basis that this would be a spare aircraft, and in consideration of the FY1965 availability of an additional P2V not anticipated at the time of estimate preparation.

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Airborne Collection

This is a general, rather than specific reduction at this time.

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Isinglass

Initial

0

This item was not approved for the FY1966 budget as such. Advanced aircraft study proposals will be considered under a succeeding Advanced Studies and Miscellaneous account.

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Dir. B  
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Initial

0

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The [ ] as such was not approved for the FY1966 budget.

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The [ ] was not approved for the FY1966 budget.

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Photo Balloon

Initial

0

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The Photo balloon was not approved for the FY1966 budget.

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Photo Material and Processing

Initial

This represents a reduction from your submission of [ ] for film and chemicals and [ ] for processing.

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EKC R&D

Initial

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Advance Studies and Miscellaneous

Initial

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The budget estimate is for advanced aircraft study effort and miscellaneous costs not yet defined.

For purposes of advance planning on contract management and workloads, it is anticipated that approximately the following amounts in the FY1966 budget for other Directors will be processed thru your directorate:

SR-71 Aircraft (Earning)

YF-12A Aircraft (Kedlock)

J58 Engine R&D

Tagboard

Dragon Lady

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These costs and considerations are as approved for the F.Y. 1966 President's budget. All programs and costs

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will be subject to rejustification or revision, review and approval in connection with the F.Y. 1966 funding program in the May-June 1965 time period. Accordingly, no contractual, procurement, or other government-committing actions can be taken against these budgeted programs and amounts.

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BROCKWAY McMILLAN  
DIRECTOR  
National Reconnaissance Office

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